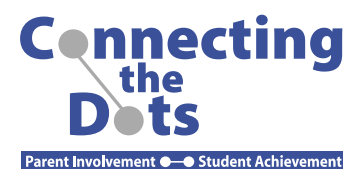
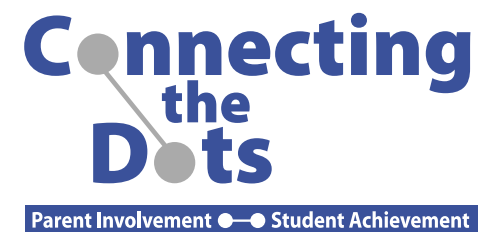


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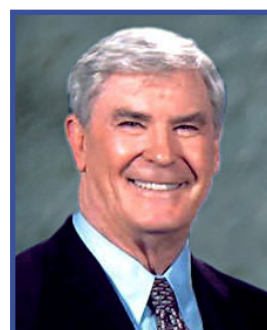
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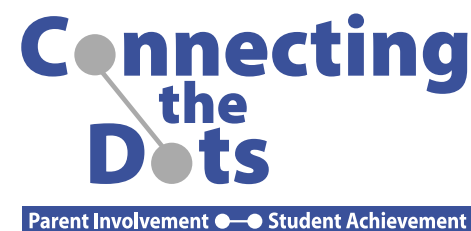


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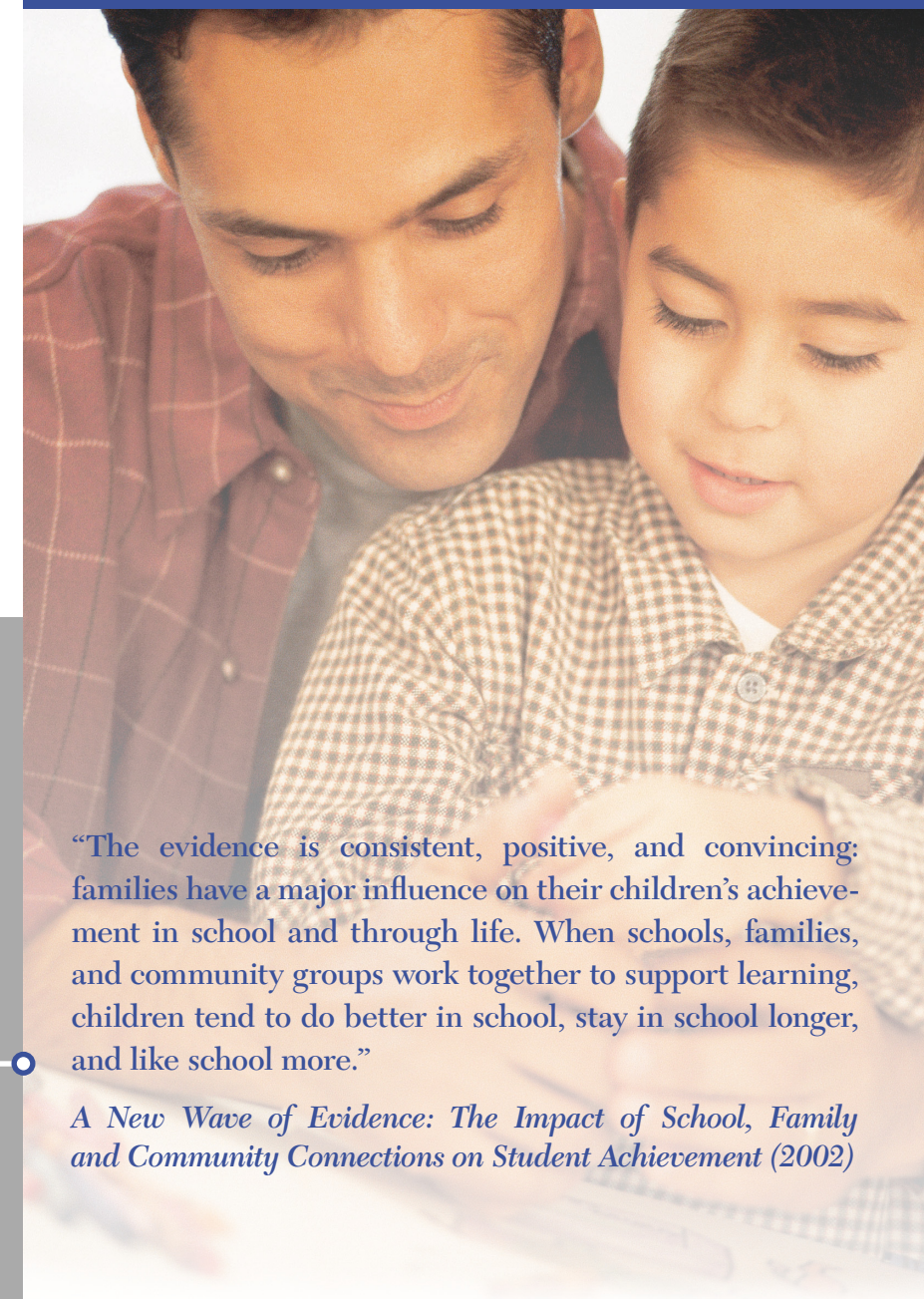
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Featured Keynote Speaker:

Anne T. Henderson

Nationally recognized speaker,
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Keynote Speaker



Anne T. Henderson
Senior Consultant, Institute for Education and Social Policy,
New York University Education Policy Consultant, Washington, DC

Anne’s specialty is the relationship between families and schools. Among Anne’s many reader-friendly reports, articles and books is the Evidence series, which reviews the research on parent involvement and student achievement. The latest edition, *A New Wave of Evidence: The Impact of School, Family and Community Connections on Student Achievement*, written with Karen Mapp, was published by the Southwest Educational Development Laboratory in 2002.

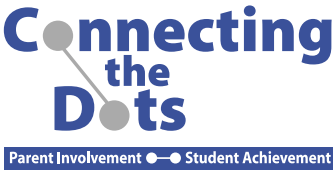
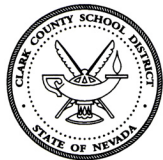
Anne graduated from Oberlin College, and has a Master’s Degree in politics from Eagleton Institute at Rutgers University. After working in Civil Rights and Anti-Poverty programs in Washington, DC, she worked for the New Jersey Department of Education. Prior to her current position at New York University, Anne helped start the National Committee for Citizens in Education, a group that aimed to put the public back into the public schools.

Parent Involvement Summit Schedule of Events and Breakout Sessions

Research shows that schools with well-structured, consistent parent involvement programs are more likely to experience profound benefits for students, parents, teachers, administrators, and overall school quality. Participate in breakout sessions that will provide examples of working programs or the “how to” in developing parent involvement programs.

Schedule of Events	Breakout Sessions
8:00 am Check-In & Continental Breakfast	• Building Successful Partnerships
8:45 am Welcome & Opening Remarks	• Reaching the ELL Parent
9:15 am Opening Keynote – Anne T. Henderson	• Family Friendly Schools
10:15 am Break	• Linking Parent Involvement and Student Achievement
10:30 am Breakout Session I	• Becoming a Community – Involving Parents at the Secondary Level
11:45 am Lunch – provided	• Parent Education
12:45 pm Breakout Session II	• Research-based Practices in Parent Involvement presented by Anne T. Henderson
2:00 pm Break	
2:15 pm Breakout Session III	
3:30 pm Break	
3:45 pm Planning for the Future – Lisa Ruggiero Rogers	
4:45 pm Closing Remarks	
5:00 pm Adjourn	

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Registration Form

Registrations must be received by March 15, 2006.
Limited Enrollment, Priority Given to District Teams.

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Ms. Mrs. Mr. Dr. Name:

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Please Identify Your Primary Role:
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Legislator Other:

District Teams: We are encouraging districts to send at least one team of 4, with each member representing a different role: parent, teacher, site-level administrator, and a district-wide administrator. Priority for enrollment will be given to these teams. District Teams must submit each team member name on this form in order to be considered. The team member identified above will be the team contact person and is responsible for communicating all appropriate details to his/her team members.

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